- Exports of cotton cloths from the United States decreased by 17 per cent. in November as compared with October, while exports of the same commodity from Great Britain increased ro men were: murder, 11; attempted by about 21,000,000 yards, according to murder, 3; rape, 15; attempted rape, a statement issued Friday night by the 3; killing man in altercation, 4; no commerce department. Exports of special charge, 3; wounding men. 4; cotton cloth from this country to such furnishing ammunition to man resistmarkets as the Philippine Islands, Cen- ing arrest, 2; leaders in race clarh, 2; tral America and Haiti, however, show- charge not reported, 3; assisting man ed greater activity. November exports to escape who had killed officer of of cotton cloths from this country to- law, 1; making improper remarks to talled 53,000,000 yards, against 64,000,- women, 1; threatening to kill another, tailed 53,000,000 yards, against 64,000,- women, 1; threatening to kill another, 000 yards in October while similar ex1; entering young woman's room, 1; ports from the United Kingdom during insulting woman, 1; writing note to November amounted to 364,000,000 woman, 1; attacking man and woman yards as against 343,000,000 yards in 1. The states in which lynchings occordober.

-The arms conference begins the new year with most of its members looking towards a final adjournment two weeks hence, despite the prospect having yet to clear away several troublesome issues. One of the American delegates predicted Sunday that the five power naval limitation treaty would be put into final form during the coming week, and that in the week following a settlement would be effected covering the Far Eastern field. The same expectation was echoed in the eign delegation, most of whose embers already have made definite plans to leave Washington about mid-January. A tendency to press the negotiations to a conclusion, even if ne of the original hopes for accomplishment have to go by the board, is evident now in many quarters. The delegates are said to feel that seven weeks of discussion have quite fully developed the national viewpoint of all the powers and that little is to be gained now by prolonging debate on points that have brought to light seri-ous divisions of opinion. - George L. Oles, who took office as

mayor of Youngstown, Ohio, last Saturday night at midnight, issued an open letter in which he warned wrong-doers that they had until January 7 to "love up, drink up, pack up and move or behave." The letter to the underworld said in part: "I am going to give the underworld of this city one week" notice to love up, drink up, pack up and move or behave. I am going to give you this week's grace because I feel It makes no difference who you how much pull you have, how well can do. There will be no excuse ac-cepted or leniency extended to any one. This includes all parasites that live on the proceeds of the underworld. In fact this includes everyone that is not a law abiding citizen. Pass this word to your

day in an effort to run down members of a masked mob who lured W. E. Tumlin, well known Birmingham and beat him until b'ood streamed from a score of lacers tions on his body. Tumlin was enticed from his office by vas wanted by a patient in a Red Mountain sanitarium to draw up a will. When he had reached a lonely spot in the hills, Tumlin reported to Solicitor Tate he was seized by masked men who bound and gagged him. The lawyer reported to Selfeitor Rate that he was told he must promise to re-marry his divorced wife, or death would be immediately inflicted. He refused the mob set upon summoned aid. As soon as he was able saturday, he reported the matter to the authorities. Records in the chancery division of the circuit court showed that on October 19, 1921, a decree of absolute divorce was granted Tumlin on the grounds of cruelty and voluntary abandmonment.

-Father Knickerbocker turned his pockets inside out Sunday to pay the piper for piping in the New Year amidst a Volsteed-defying celebration lem to the battery. There were many casualties. Police records enumerated knife wounds, a half dozen persons poisoned by bad liquor and scores of Summons served by members of make it the driest New Year's eve Broadway had even seen. Between midnight and 2 o'clock 12 raids by prohibition officers were reported, eighth street and Eighteenth avenue similar interference with the festivities at a half dozen Greenwich whether the prohibitionists succeeded The Evening Telegram described the night as a "celebration which rivalled wildest pre-prohibition "although wetter than the Sahara desert, New York was far drier last night than it has been on other holi-Prohibition agents, he added, followed the line of least resistance and did not interfere with those who "carried their own." A more rigid enforcement of the law, he assured, would have caused "too much reaction against the law." "Conditions," he summed up, "in the freest place in the he country on the freest night of the year showed a big improvement over any previous New Year's eve since enact-ment of the Volstead act." Hundreds of churches held watch night services that drew immense audiences without seeming to detract from the throngs that early took possession of reserved tables in thousands of hotels, cafes

-According to the records compiled at Tuskezee Institute by the department of Records and Research, Monroe N. Work, in charge, there were 72 prevented lynchings. Of these 8 were in Northern States and 64 in Southern States. In 1920 there were 56 such instances. 46 in Southern and 10 in Northern States. In 66 of the cases, the prisoners were removed, or the guards were augmented, or other pre-cautions taken. In 6 instances armed force was used to repel the would be Concerning the cases of lynchers. lynching, there were 19 instances in which prisoners were taken from the iail and 16 instances in which, before reaching a jail, they were taken from officers of the law. There were 63 persons lynched in 1921. Of these, 62 were in the South and 1 in the North. is two more than the number, 61 for the year 1920. Of those lynched 59 were negroes and 4 were whites. Two by the taxpayer, and the third and fourth pages are devoted to instrucof those put to death were negro wo-Nineteen, or less than one third of those put to death, were charged with rape or attempted rape. Four of duplicate or "work sheet" of the 1920 | 2200 the victims were burned to death. Three were put to death and then ers wish to keep a copy of their retheir bodies were burned. The charges turns sufficient against those burned to death were:

and restaurants.

offences charged against the whites were: murder, 3; rape, 1. One of the women put to death was charged with assisting a man to escape who had killed an officer of the law. The other was charged with inciting racial troubles. The offenses charged against the negare as follows: Alabama, 2; Ark msas, 6; Florida, 5; Georgia, 11; Ken ncky, 1; Louisiana, 5; Mississippi, 14; Missouri, 1; North Carolina, 4; South Carolina, 5; Tennessee, 1; Texas, 7; Virginia, 1.

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. TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1922.

Happy new year to you!

If we will only do the best we can with it, 1922 will be a fine year.

In behalf of its readers The Yorkville Enquirer desires to thank Cona gressman Stevenson for his close-up down in my heart that it would be a gressman Stevenson for his close-up down in my heart that it would be a gressman Stevenson for his close-up shame to pull you all in and take the view of the arms conference. Knowing last dollar from you in fines and fill our Mr. Stevenson as we all do, we are fails to overflowing. Therefore I am prepared to accept his picture of the going to give you this notice. I want to state right here that on the 7th day of January at 12 o'clock the lid is going might have seen it for ourselves. That jails to overflowing. Therefore I am prepared to accept his picture of the going to give you this notice. I want to state right here that on the 7th day all of the readers of The Yorkvi'le Enyou know me or what you think you quirer found Mr. Stevenson's article very instructive as well as interesting. goes without saying.

With this issue The Yorkville Enfriends, as there will be no excuses quirer begins its 68th year. Counting taken under any consideration." from the birth of the Pioneer out of -City and county authorities had which The Yorkville Enquirer developmade little headway they reported Fri- ed, the paper has commenced on its ninetieth year. The highest and best social, political, commercial and industorney to Red Mountain, Tuesday night trial welfare of the people of York county has always been the inspiration and the guide of the publications a youth who pretended that the lawyer of this paper, and this is the end to which it will continue to strive.

Yes, the United States has most of the gold of the world and a mortgage on the Galance. Business stagnation prevails throughout the balance of the world because it is so heavily in debt, to make such promise, according to his and unable to get the gold with which r port to the prosecuting attorney and to pay those debts. Business stagna-the mob set upon him with laths tion prevails throughout the United tion prevails throughout the United After the beating, the members of the mob departed, leaving him too weak to walk for some time. He finally found we should let loose our gold for the dehis way back to a telephone, where he velopment of enterprise and industry, man can tell.

It seems practically certain that the senate will not ratify the recently signed four-power treaty. The treaty is open to all the objections that were that overspread Manhattan from Har- urged against the League of Nations covenant, and the Republicans are unfour violent deaths attributable to able to ratify it even for party purposholiday overindulgence, 16 men and es without stultifying themselves to an women in hospitals with gunshot or extent to which they are relucant to go. There is in the proposition lots of the objection by the Democrats. The fact dry squad of 200 who attempted to of the matter is that it is only a weak imitation of the League of Nations pact that was made the paramount issue of the last campaign, and which was deing a decent on Reisenweber's at Fifty- feated not so much because there were nation-wide objections to it as because vil- the Republicans, who are largely in the lage tea rooms. Opinions differed on majority, had whipped themselves into cooperation for the control of the government. As the situation now stands, there seems to be possibility that the William H. Anderson, head of the state Anti-Saloon league, however, said that majority in an effort to secure a ratification of the old league pact.

- Drafting of the new 1921 income tax return form for incomes of \$5,000 or less has been completed by the tax simplification board, of which J. H. Beal of Pittsburgh is chairman, it was said Sunday night at the treasury. The new forms, which are regarded as much more simple and less confusing than those in use last year, have gone to the printers and pr bly will be ready for distribution about January 15. From 15,000,000 to 20,2000,000 copies of the new forms are being printed and it is estimated that 35 fréight cars will be required to send them to internal revenue collectors throughout the country. Efforts to simplify Form 1040—which is the form used by the average taxpayer has resulted in reducing the number of pages from six to four and in elim-inating the block system of return instances in which officers of the law utilized in 1920, which was said to be confusing to the great majority taxpayers who had income from only one or two sources. The internal revenue bureau estimated 70 per cent. of the persons using the \$5.000, form have income from only salaries and and wages and possibly interest and have few deductions to make from that in-The new form will require taxpavers to list on the first page the amounts of income received from a number of sources and then form the total of these amounts to deduct the amounts to which they are legally entitled, the balance being the taxable net income. The second page will require certain information from persons receiving income from specified sources, such as a business carried on tions. By reducing the form to four pages the board has eliminated the form but it was explained if taxpayable for duplicates to be obtained,

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

First National Bank of Sharon-Caterpillar tractor for sale. Rev. W. A. Tobin, Rock Hill-Catholic books sent free on application, M. Stroup-During 1922 buy at Stroup's.

Southerland-Wakefield Co., Charlotte-Human Interest Story No. 3. coples Furniture Co.—Here's our best. Cloud Cash Store, Rock Hill-We sincerely thank.

Liberty Service station-Gasoline. A. M. McGill, Administrative Superin tendent-Notice to York Co Sunday School superintendents. County Carroll Bros .- Votan coffee.

Jamison's Bakery-Buy bread fresh every day. The Star Theatre, J. Q. Wray, Mana-ger—Walface Reid in the "Love special" today. Sam M. and S. E. Grist-You are

free agent.
York Supply Co.—Prosperous New
Year to everybody.
Cash and Carry Company—A happy new year. Peoples Bank and Trust Co.—Statement of Condition.

yon Manufacturing Company-Mus targ Liniment. elry Co., Rock Hill-During All subscribers to The Yorkville En-

quirer get today's issue and next Friday's issue. After that all subscriptions are discontinued in accordance with the date on the label. Subscribers who desire their papers to go on should examine their labels. Those who do not desire their papers to go on need not bother.

THE MARRIAGE RECORD Since the last publication of the record in The Yorkville Enquirer, the following marriage licenses have been issued by the judge of probate to the following:

Dec. 29-A. J. Quinn and Emmi Currence, Clover. Dec. 29-John Winchester and Rachel Chambers, colored, Charlotte. Dec. 30-Tom Hemphill and Rache Sanders, colored, Rock Hill,

Dec. 31-Carl Grier and Lessie Rice,

WITHOUT CONSENT.

As to whether Magistrate A. J. Quinn had the consent of his father to marry before the actual performance of the ceremony, is not exactly clear. The father, Mr. Felix Quinn, was in the street corner crowd last Thursday night, along with John, Fred, Choat, Tom, Bob, Albert and Dever; but that does not settle the parental consent

question.
Mr. Martin Dixon of Clover, asked Mr. Felix Quinn a week or two ago as to the truth of the rumors about Andy's

approaching marriage.
"Why, he has never asked me anything about it," said the Elder Mr. Quinn, "and of course it must be a mistake."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS Real estate transfers have been in dexed in the office of the county auditor as follows:

Bethel-J. W. Ferguson to J. Ferguson and A. D. Parham, 86 3-5 acres, \$2,000 Hugh P. Miller and Annie O. Mil-

ler to Butler Robins, William Holland and Robert Tate, Trustees of Mt. Cli-vet Hollness church, 1 acre, \$140. Bethesda—A. R. McElhaney, to Mr. Alma T. McElhaney, 142 1-2 acres, \$ acres, \$ and other valuable considerations.

Catawba-Isabella H. Wilson to A A. Munn, 1 lot, \$650.

Kings Mountain—C. T. Thomas to Charlie Adams and Henrietta Adams, 1ots. \$90.

R. E. Watterson to M. A. Patterson M. A. Patterson and A. High Patterson to R. E. Watterson, 25 acres, \$712.50. 25 acres, \$637.50.

York-M. W. White and Mrs. M. D. White to John Crawford, 50 acres, \$250 and other considerations.

TAX COLLECTIONS.

The annual rush of eleventh hom taxpayers in the treasurer's office was the feature of last Thursday, Friday and Saturday in the courthouse,

Taxpayers came in crowds and fo hours at a time the lobby botween the of the auditor and treasurer was crowded, while checks and currency were being exchanged for receipts through the two wickets into the office of the treasurer.

Treasurer Neil remained in his office until a late hour Saturday night, accommodating all comers as long as they continued to come.

Many thousands of dollars were tal: en in during the last days of the week through the wickets; but with bushels of mail that also came in, much of it still to be worked up, ther was no arriving at anything like an accurate estimate as to the total col-

More than three thousand dog license tags were paid for directly to the treasurer, and although Mr. Neil had no de!inite way of estimating yesterday, he said that when he got his mail worked up it would probably show between 3,500 and 4,000 of such licenses.

RELEASED ON BOND

Robert McGinnis was released from jail last Sunday on bonds amounting to Lancaster. \$225-\$25 to the town and \$200 to the state for his appearance at the April term of the ccurt.

At the November term of the court McGinnis plead guilty to assault and South Carolina, Columbia, recently battery with intent to kill F. L. Hin- wisited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. nant, pleading as his reason for the

offense crazed condition from drink, Judge Rice imposed a sentence of 1 months on the chairgang, the sentence to be suspended indefinitely unless the defendant should again allow himself to get under the influence of whisky. On Saturday the 24th instant Mc-

Ginnis was arrested on complaints charging him with being drunk and disorderly on Friday night the 23rd instant, and upon conviction by a jury in the police court on Wednesday the Mayor Hall imposed 28th instant. sentence of \$1 or 1 day in jail, from which conviction and sentence McGinais appealed to the court of general sessions, his bond being fixed at \$25. After the conviction of McGinnis in

the police court, upon instructions from Solicitor Henry, Sheriff Quinn rearrested McGinnis and held him for the court of general sessions in the sum of

drunkenness in the police court; but

murder, 2, rape and murder, 2. The LOCAL AFFAIRS, attempted to show that the motive of daughter of Greenville, have returned days before the fact of his death was vide that the alliance itself and each the prospecution was spite work.

WITHIN THE TOWN

Everybody was inclined to behave this Christmas. "We did not make a single arrest between Christmas day and New Year's day," said Chief of Police R. E. Steele yesterday.

- Farmers in this vicinity were not inclined to sell much cotton during the veek following Christmas, only thirteen bales being sold in Yorkville week according to R. E. McClure, pub-lic weigher for the town.

-The horse traders from various parts of the county were in Yorkville yesterday on account of first Monday, as usual. However, there was not a great deal of business done among

them. - J. S. Brice, Esq., is occupying the office formerly occupied by C. E. Spen-cer, and Dr. J. D. McDowell, formerly in the Wilson building, has moved into the offices in the Peoples Bank and Trust company's building, formerly ocand

cupied by Mr. Brice. Building materials to be used in construction of the new high school building for Yorkville have begun to arrive, according to Mr. F. Erwin Moore of the Logan Lumber Yard. Fennell for the gift of a fine turkey Good progress is being made on the sent by them to the ex-president for necessary excavation work.

- Although there were quite a num ber of negroes in town yesterday for the Emancipation day celebration, the usual parade was dispensed with. Exexercises were held in the colored Methodist church, where the address was delivered by Rev. C. N. Miller. R. W. Ward was chairman of the committee of arrangements.

- Louis Feinstein, formerly engaged in the mercantile business in Abbe-ville, S. C. has moved to Yorkville and has taken over the dry goods store of Nathan Feinstein and David Krivis, these two having moved to Chlcago, Ill., where they will make their home in future. Mr. Louis Feinstein and family are living in a house on the extension of East Liberty street, the property of W. M. McConnell.

-Fire believed to have been caused by a defective flue destroyed the home of Rev. B. F. Colvin, a colored Baptist minister of Yorkville, about 9 o'clock Sunday morning. The fire department responded as seon as the alarm was given but were unable to save dwelling which was situated on Pinckey street on the outskirts of town. Most of the household goods were

- York Lodge No. 1061, Loyal Order of Moosa is to entertain its own mem-bers and the members of Rock Hill Lodge of the order at a luncheon in the lodge hall in the Stroup building here tonight. In addition to the luncheon several candidates are to be initiated into the mysteries of the order. D. L. Moss of the Rock Hill Lodge is expected to make a talk about a trip recently made to Mooseheart, Ill. where the great orphanage of the order is located. A number of other short talks will be made and a large attendance of members of the local as well as many visitors from Rock Hill are expected.

-The thermometer around 17 degrees early yesterday morning and everybody was agreed that the morning was the coldest of the year while more than one old inhabitant remarked as he rubbed his hands on his knees that "this is about the coldest morning I've knowed in years." There were many frozen water pipes and the services of plumbers were in demand. The freeze was not confined to water pipes alone. were several people around who didn't tomobile radiators and a number of bursted cylinder heads were also reported yesterday,

ABOUT PEOPLE

Little Boyce Caldwell is quite sick with pneumonia. Spratt Moore of Rock Hill, visited Rudolph Logan in Yorkville, this week. Miss Rachel Wylie of Yorkville ent the week-end in Spartanburg. Joe Foster of Rock Hill, was a recent

visitor in Yorkville. Miss Leanora, Henderson of Charlotte, visited Miss Alice Inman, in Yorkville, last week.

in Charlotte, this week.

Miss Elizabeth Carroll of Yorkville, visited relatives and friends in Rock Hill, this week. Rev. W. W. Arrowood of Tazewell,

Va., recently visited relatives in Sha-Miss Hattie McAfee of Atlanta.

visiting the family of Mr. P. B. McAfee in Yorkville. Mrs. J. H. B. Jenkins, Jr., and children have returned from a visit to rela-tives at Grover, N. C.

Mrs. Walter McElwee and children of C'over, spent Sunday with the family of Mr. B. M. Love, in Yorkville. Mr. Harry Burgess of Furman Uni-

versity, Greenville, was a visitor in Sharon, last week. Howard Biggers of Fifbert has taken a position as clerk at the Shan-

don Hotel. Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Draffin, of Columbia spent Sunday in Yorkville with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Quinn.

Mr. J. P. Kinard, Jr. of Rock Hill spent Sunday in Yorkville with Mr. J. W. Quinn, Jr. Mrs. George Plexico of Sharon, is un-

dergoing treatment in a Charlotte hos-Mrs. T. W. Brown of Atlanta,

been spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. H. L. White, of Filbert. William Carroll of Heath Springs, visited the family of his father, Mr. C A. Carroll on York No. 7 last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jamison and

family of Yorkville spent Sunday with the family of Mr. C. R. Simmens in John S. Wallace of Pageland, S. C.

visited the family of his father, Mr. George R. Wallace on York No. 2, last Paul Burgess of the University,

Mr. and M s. A. H. Collins and little son, John, of Charlotte, spent the hol-idays withe the family of Mr. John C.

Dickson on York No. 1. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cummings of Columbia, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John C. Dickson, on York R.

F. D. No. 1. Miss Edna' Feemster of the Montreat Normal school, has been spending the Soldier Buried on Native Sod. holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Feemster of McConnellsville.

to the Presbyterian college, Clinton, after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dickson on York No. 1. Miss Louise Nichols of Ebenezer has returned home after a visit to the family of Mr. W. W. Barron in Yorkville.

The required bond was arranged on of the Logan Lumber yard. McGinnis did not deny the charge of

home after spending the holidays with established, he having been details the family of Mr. W. S. Love, of Sha- with a British command at the time.

Mr. J. N. Roberts, formerly of York county: but for many years a resident of McAdenville, N. C., and much of the time mayor of the town, had a stroke of paralysis last week and at last accounts his condition was quite serious. Gregg, pastor of the First Presbyterian

ber of men of his congregation.

parture. Rock Hill Record, Monday! Dr. W. W. Fennell is the proud recipient of an autograph letter from the greatest living American, ex-President Woodrow Wilson, in which he and Mrs. Wilson express cordial thanks to Dr. and Mrs. sent by them to the ex-president for his Christmas .dini.er. The letter signed by Mr. Wilson........Mrs. J. Byrd and family will return to Jefferson tomorrow after spending the holi-days here with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. B. Jenkins. Mrs. Byrd and children expect to leave shortly to join Mr. Byrd in California, where they will make their home in the

Hill. Insurance was carried on the car. Many Licenses Issued.

Up to January 1, 1922 a total of 6,444 marriage licenses had been issued in York county since the state law requiring marriage licenses became

fective Ju'y 1, 1911. No Legal Sales.

There were no legal sales before the courthouse door yesterday morning.
One parcel of property which had
been advertised for sale by Clerk of
Court McMackin was called off prior to the advertised hour of sale, satisfactory settlement having been made. The sheriff had no sales.

Touring Car Burned.

An Auburn touring car, the proper ty of J. C. Parrott of Yorkville and driven by his son, Lindsay Parrott was destroyed by fire last Tuesday morning near the home of Oscar Burgess on York No. 3. The origin of the fire is unknown. Insurance was carried on the car.

Rev. Oates in Rock Hill.

Rev. J. L. Oates, D. D., paster of the Yorkville A. R. P. clurch was the prin-cipal speaker at a meeting of the Federation of Men's Bible Classes of Rock Hill held in the First Baptist church in that city Sunday afternoon. Eleven Bible classes representative of the different churches of the city are included in the Federation, the total membership being about 250. Rev. Mr. Oates was heard with interest by his large

audience.

Back to Clover. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Quinn, who were married on the principal street corner in Clover last Thursday night, did not go very far. They merely drove up to Castonia, and came back to Clover in a round-about way, arriving home at about 10:30 o'clock. The trip was all a blind to escape the anticipated rag-ging and tormenting friends. Mr. and Mrs. Quinn will for the present live with Mrs. Quinn's parents.

ty of a dark horse coming in as was talked some time ago. There are five aspirants for the office of councilman. two of whom will be elected on Janu-Yorkville, last week.

Miss Thelma Inman of Yorkville, election and scores of Rock Hill citivisited her sister, Mrs. E. M. Stanton, in the classification of the control of the rest of the stanton, in the control of the rest of the r January 1, in order that they might vote in the election.

Car Destroyed by Fire.

An Elgin touring car valued at about \$1,700, the property of H. P. Keeter of Grover, N. C., was destroyed by fire of unknown origin yesterday morning about 6 o'clock. The fire occurred on the King's Mountain road near the B. N. Moore place, about two miles north of Yorkville. Mr. Keeter had spent Sunday night with the family of his brother-in-law, Mr. J. H. B. Jenkins, Jr., in Yorkville. He was proceeding early yesterday morning to his home at Grover, when the automobile burst out in flame, the driver buying barely time to remove a suit case from rear seat. The car had been in use about two months. It was insured.

Negro Gamblers Arrested.

Seven negro gamblers were arrested Saturday night by Magistrate F. Black of York township with the assistance of Guards John and Jim Robinson and Ben Briggs of the York county chaingang. The gamblers who were engaged in the popular negro game of "craps" were in the home of Will Turner who lives near the chain-gang stockade west of Yorkville. The magistrate was on his way home when he heard the rattle of the bones and; going to the chaingang nearby obtained the assistance of the guards and surrounded the home. Two of the negroes got away temporarily but came in yesterday morning. The dice were

Gave a Wrong Name.

ville on last Wednesday. Rev. W. H. Stevenson has not been in Yorkville since last November. The man who ran over the negro, however, gave his name as Rev. W. H. Stevenson, and Chief Steele did not consider it necessary to take the number of the car. Because the negro was more to blame he was not badly hurt. Chief Steele did not consider it necessary to take the car number or hold the driver. Rev. W. H. Slevenson, her motives for the car number of hold the first feet automatically.

Outsiders Not Blamable. than the driver of the car and because W. II. Stevenson has written from Clinton to say that he was not the gave his name as Rev. W. H. Steven- part of nations, or rather governments, son is still unestablished.

Remains of Corporal James E. Nunnery, 118th Infantry, 30th Division who who have disregarded the rights of was killed in France in October, 1918, other nations and peoples in the were buried in the cemetery at Har-Mr. M. Shie'ds Dickson has returned of the Logan Lumber yard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Bowers and little missing in action and it was several East. Let the alliance specifically pro-

Harmony Church Burned.

Harmony Presbyterian church on the Sharon road about four and one-half miles west of Yorkville was destroyed by fire about 11 o'clock last night There is no idea as to the origin of the fire. About three weeks ago Miller Rock Hill Herald, Jan. 2: Dr. F. W. School No. 48 was destroyed by fire and next day the publis were moved church, will leave this week for New Into Harmony church where school York, where he will take a four week's was resumed. There had been no legitimate fire in the building for two trip is a gift to Mr. Gregg from a numweeks. The church property was valued at about \$3,000 and there was no in-Rev. F. A. Liles, for more than a surance. The building was located about 200 yards east of the residence Street Baptist church, leaves this week for Mayesville, N. C., with his family, where he will become year that where he will become paster of the residence was not endangered. School Baptist church at that place. During trustees have plans for rebuilding his stay in Yorkville, Rev. Liles and Miller school. Harmony church is suphis family have made many frends plied by Rev. C. W. McCully of Shawho will regret to learn of their de- ron, who is paster of Woodlawn Presbyterian church there

Audit of the Offices.

The report of the accountants who audited the books of the various York county public officers under the direction of the comptroller general, is in the hands of the York county grand jury. It is a full, exhaustive and American people to guarantee protection against disturbances and war on the business management of each which "may be brought about or inshowing the financial conditions at the time of the closing of the report. All of the officers with the exception of the county board of commissioners are homeland of Japan. These, however, commended for the manner in which he did not regard as more important their books, papers and accounts are than other features which, he said, kept. The bookkeeping of the county board of commissioners, however, is "just as truly it any island were at-LOCAL LACONICS

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Car Goes up in Flames.

A Chevrolet touring ear, the property of M. Stowe Turner of Yorkville, was destroyed by fire last night near Rock Hill, Insurance was carried on the car.

man of Fort Mili township inglives from their unjusty that which are now the counse of the far secured from the county commissioners secured from the county commissioners an appropriation of \$20,000 to supplement the funds already secured for the ment the funds already secured for the SHOULD KNOW THE LAW. purpose of building standard highways through Fort Mill township, says a Fort Mill dispatch of last Friday. At a special meeting of the county commissioners held in Yorkville Wednesday, the needs of the township were presented, and the whole of an appropriation to the county by the state highway com-mission, was awarded for the purpose of building standard roads in Fort Mill township. With an additional appro-priation hitherto made of \$10,000, and a bond, issue of \$75,000, there will be bond issue of \$75,000, there will be available \$105,000 for road purposes, and the improvements will include an balanced to a cent with the county and the improvements will include an balanced to a cent with the county 18-foot asphalt road from Catawba riv-treasurer's book; and Auditor Searson to find fault with this ofer bridge through the town of Fort Mill, a distance of about two and one-half miles, the town co-operating through a bond issue of \$30,000. Other highways will be of standard sand-clay construction. The recent death of C. P. Blankenship has caused a vacancy on the township highway board, which will be filled at the coming session of the general assembly upon the recommendation of the York county delegation. Petitions recommending Jas. T. Garrison of the Flint Hill section, and W. H. Crook of the Gold Hill section. tion, for the appointment have been

circulated. Grant Talks of Weather.

J. Marion Grant of Chester, who well known in York county as a weather prophet as well as in Chester county has handed out his prognostications for the month of January. His forecast is as follows: "January is due to come in fair and moderately cold. A Venus disturbance, central, December 30, 1921, will have a finger in all weather phenomena up to the 18th of January. Wind storm period central on the third. Look for increasing cloudiness, third to fifth, with some rain, followed by clearing and cooler. With the election but nine days away there are and only two candidates out for mayor of Rock Hill, and it looks now that there is little or no probability of the ninth. Major disturbance of Mercury on the ninth. Moon at extreme north declination on the 11th and its control of the little and its control of periged the 14th. The Venus perturbations are in full force during this period. Stormy combination of disturbing causes from the 9th to the 15th, inclusive. Look for much cloudy, unsettled weather, probably snow and sleet, about the 13th and 14th as far south as the 34th or 35th degree of latitude. After the storm center passes east of your longitude look for rising barometer and colder. Seventeenth and 18th probably fair. On the 19th to 21st, incleasing cloudiness, probably rain, followed by clearing and mornings. On the 22nd and 23rd, fair About the 24th to 26th, cloudy and threatening, probably rain and wind. On the 27th the center of a Mercury disturbance and a lunar storm period central on the 30th, and moon in conjunction with the sun on the Much cloudiness, rain, probably thunder and lightning south from the to 31st followed by clearing colder. Upon the whole, the outlook is for moderately mi'd winter and the precinitation below the average.

THE FOUR POWER TREATY

Senator Borah Prescribes Tests for Measurements.

1922 promises to be a dry one.

Washington, Jah. 1.—His words spread broadcast by wireless through adjacent states, Senator Borah (Republican) of Idaho, speaking at the resbyterian Church of the Covenant today, submitted what he described as test of whether the four power Pacific treaty "was based upon justice and was therefore a peace alliance, or based upon force and therefore a military alliance." Several thousand amateur and commercial wireless operators within a radius of 200 miles of Washington "list-ned in" on Sena-

tor Borah's address. The test which Mr. Borah offered Clinton, who ran over the negro Jim Shealy, opposite Latta's store in Yorkstore within one year and thereafter to respect the rights, interests, territory and sovereignty of all na-tions or governments in the region of the Pacific." He added that the further provision that should the agreement to restore and respect such inobserved, the terests be not

> aggressions in the Far East for the hast few years have been upon the which have now signed an alliance to prevent aggression." He charged that it was the members of the "alliance" and not those nations outside of

"The disturbances in the Far East." mony Baptist church, Sunday after-noon with military honors, a fiving squad from the Frank Roach Guards of Rock Hill and members of the American Legion posts of Rock Hill and Fort alliance to regard the rights of other Mill being in attendance. Corporal nations and not out of acts of those Nunnery was a son of S. B. Nunnery who are excluded from the alliance. Mr. J. Z. Stowe of Filbert No. 1, has moved his family to Yorkville and they are occupying the Crosby house on Lincoln street. Mr. Stowe is in the employ of the Lorent Lumber yard.

Number was a son of S. B. Number who are excluded from the animic. There would be no Far Eastern question of the Harmony section and a brother of Samuel Number, reported lost at seq in a submarine attack, but who can be seq in a submarine attack, but who later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the weak or more later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the weak or more later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the weak or more later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the weak or more later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the weak or more later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the weak or more later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the weak or more later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question of a disturbing nature if the mem-seq in a submarine attack, but who later came home to a family that had spected the rights of the would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother would be no Far Eastern question and a brother wou

rights and sovereignty and interests of other peoples and let it be provided that if they do not, the alliance is dis-

solved. "I think one of the most interesting and illuminating revealments of modern diplomacy is this proposition that the nations which have been doing all of the aggressing, or attacking, should get together and solemnly form an alliance against those nations who have not been guilty of such things. If the nations which are to be members of this alliance would hand back to the nations and peoples the territory, the rights and the liberties which they have taken from them the war clouds in the Far East would dis-You would not need an alliance in the Far East if it were necessary to protect the territory which has been unjustly obtained by

mombers of the alliance."

To Join Would be Crime.

Mr. Borah declared it would be a crime-"a crime not only against our own people in the Far East"-for the United States to join an alliance if "aggressions" are to continue in the ten years of the agreement like they have "taken place in the past." He argued that it was wrong to ask the statement spired by members of the alliance it-

Col. Thos. B. Spratt, who is chairwhich other peoples have had taken
from them unjustly and which are now

Attorney J. S. Brice Replies to Criticisms of Auditor Searson.

Editor Yorkville Empirer:

Louis A. Searson, one of the state auditors, in his report in reference to the supervisor's office criticizes the register in which claims that are approved, for payment are kept, by de-c'aring that apparently the supervisor considers the book of no importance at all and that it has not been balance As a matter of fact, this book has been also seems to find fault with this office because an expensive columnar
book is in use in said office. As a matter of fact, an shown by the county
supply bill, the supervisor is required
by law to keep a book called "File
Book of Calms, and this book shall be
kept so as to show (1) The claim number; (2) The date of fling; (3) Whom
the claim belongs to; (4) The nature
of the claim; (5) The amount of the
claim; (6) The amount allowed and
(7) On what account the claim is
paid." This is required by law, and
Auditor Searson should familiarize
himself with the law before criticizing
the conduct of the office.

the conduct of the office. Attorney for County Commissi

The full text of the criticism calling forth the above communication

"Books and Records "A register in which the warrants is-sued are listed is kept in this office and sued are listed is kept in this office and this record is reconciled with the coun-ty treasurer's books. The register of claims approved for payment as kept by this officer is of no value whatever This book, although it should is con-sidered by the supervisor as the most important record of his office, is appar-

ently not regarded as of any import-ance at all. While an expensive columnar book is in use, presumably, for the purpose of showing a distribution of county expenses, according to the various appropriations, the work is in-complete and has not been balanced in any manner. For this reason, it was not practicable to complete a classified statement of expanditures (as this course would involve considerable excourse would involve considerable ex-pense). I would therefore, respectfully suggest that a thorough investigation in this department would be desirable. Especially in order that the proper ac-counting methods may be followed in the futi. e."

MERE MENTION

Reductions in the wages of Pullman cent, became effective yesterday. The Reichsbank of Germany and the Bank of England have resumed business relations for the first time since August 1914. The industrial since August 1914. The industrial building at Biddle University, the negro college of Charlotte, was de-"has entirely regained the confidence of the nation" was made by Woodrow Wilson in a New Year's letter to the Woman's Democratic Political League made public in New York, Saturday. Eighty or ninety cases of lep-

rosy are known to exist in New York

city according to Dr. Royal S. Cope-land, city health commissioner. All of them are 'practically non-contagious lepers," according to the commissioner. A new record for women pedestrians in Panama has been established by Alma Mann, aged 12, who recently walked through the Canal Zone, a distance of fifty miles in 16 hours and 26 minutes. Seizure of the schooner "Messenger of Peace" North Carolina coast with a cargo of liquor was reported to the assistant secretary of the treasury in Washing-ton Saturday..... Baron Bosen, former Russian ambassador to the United States died in New York, Saturday of ruling under which all persons holding two or more directorates of inter-state railroad corporations may continue to hold such positions indefinitely. Because of the embarrassed financial situation in Italy the king has signed a decree that has the effect of postponing December settlements until January 4. ... The French delegation has g

assent to the British proposition that submarines be prohibited from torpe-doing merchant ships in time of war. ...It is announced that Arthur J. Balfour head of the British delegation in Washington, will sail for home on January 14, leaving Sir Auckland Geddes to wind up conference affairs. einth Soviet congress has elected Nikolai Lenine t continue as executive with the arrest of Mrs. Abe Atte'l, wife of the former pugilist, Sam Gold and

......The board of regents of the Uni-